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**SEVERANCE
OFFICIAL RIDER 2023-2024**



DARK UNITED MEDIA - 104 KING / #177
JACKSONVILLE, FL. 32204 (USA)
1 (904)203-8116

TECHNICAL

FOR THE GUITARS: (2) MESA/PEAVEY/MARSHALL HALF STACK

FOR BASS: 1 AMPEG SVT CLASSIC OR AMPEG SVT-2
1 AMPEG SVT 810E (8X10")

FOR DRUMS: DOUBLE-BASS DRUM KIT,
WITH 3 MOUNTED TOMS,
ONE FLOOR TOM,
SNARE,
ADJUSTABLE THRONE,
HI-HATS,
RIDE CYMBAL,
CHINA BOY CYMBAL,
AND 3 CRASH CYMBALS.

CATER

MEALS FOR THE DAY OF THE SHOW
(OR \$15 PAYOUT FOR EACH MEMBER)

2 - ONE GALLONS OF FILTERED/SPRING WATER

5 CLEAN TOWELS

REQUIREMENTS

1 HOTEL ROOM WITH 2 BEDS AND 1 PRIVATE BATHROOM

5 ROUND TRIP FLIGHT TICKETS FROM MC ALLEN, TEXAS (MFE)

GROUND TRANSPORTATION
(TO/FROM - VENUE, HOTEL, AIRPORT)

\$500 (USD) FEE [PER SHOW] US

Payment to the band must be delivered in two counts...The first that will be 50% - in form of advance via Paypal
The other 50% in cash at the arrival before the presentation



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CURRENT LINE-UP

Abel Barrera - Bass
Bert Cantu - Guitars
Lupe Garcia - Guitars
Chris de Leon - Vocals
Jaime Perez - Drums

BIOGRAPHY 2024

In the early part of 1989, five friends from McAllen, Texas who shared similar music interests decided to start a band. Their set list consisted of Slayer, Metallica, Dark Angel, Venom, Destruction, Kreator and Sepultura, to name a few.

Since many of their songs were from the first 3 Sepultura releases, they were known in their area as Rest in Pain (the title of a Sepultura song from their Schizophrenia album.) Later that year, Rest in Pain decided to start writing original material and change their name to something more original, and in May of 1989, Severance was born.

The line-up at that time was Frank Sariñana- guitars, Ralph Gutierrez- guitars, Oliver Gutierrez- bass, Lee Sariñana- vocals, and Jaime Perez- drums.

Their first release back in 1990 was a 3-song rehearsal demo that was recorded in a friend's living room titled, Procreation. From that moment until today, the band continues their leaving their mark on the underground death metal scene. Through the tape trading, global underground scene, Severance was able to acquire a worldwide following that included many 'zine interviews and reviews, radio station airplay and label interest. There have been many different incarnations of the band, but original drummer and lyricist, Jaime Perez, has managed to sustain this entity in one form or another for over 3 decades. Severance has shared the stage with many metal heavy weights such as Deicide, Brujeria, Angel, Vader, Devastation (TX), Hexx, dead horse, Deeds of Flesh, Thornspawn, Devourment, Exhumed, Aborted, Cattle Decapitation, Napalm Death, Misery Index, Imprecation, and a long list of many more. Having played in Europe, Mexico and across the United States, the band has continued to stay true to their initial purpose of writing heavy music intended for those who lean more towards the extreme side of music. They have several demos, full-length albums and EPs in their discography, and they are still writing new material for future releases and performing in shows and festivals around the world. Currently one of the longest tenured and consistent death metal bands in the state of Texas, it is not known when this fierce unit will come to conclude, but for now, there is still much more Severance to unleash to the underground masses.

The band has just signed with DUM and are currently working on their new album, entitled Abysmally Ascended, to be released by **Dark United Media** in mid' 2024

FULL DISCOGRAPHY

Procreation Demo 1990
Afterbirth of Infamy Demo 1991
Abysmal Ascent Single 1992
Salvation Denied EP 1996
What Lies Ahead.... Full-length 2001
Suffering in Humanity Full-length 2006
Progression Towards Purgatory Compilation 2009
The Truth in Question Full-length 2011
TXDM 4-Way Split Split 2014
The Concession Continuum Full-length 2017
Transmigration Reincarnation Compilation 2020
Evoking the Past - Compilation 2023
Abysmally Ascended - New Album Coming in mid 2024



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Agreement, by and between **Severance** (hereinafter referred to as Artist) and _____
(hereinafter referred to as Purchaser).

It is understood and mutually agreed that the Purchaser engages the Artist to perform the following engagement upon all the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth:

ARTIST(S): **SEVERANCE**
VENUE: _____
DATE(S): _____
SET LENGTH: 1 hour
ARTIST SELLS 100/0 tbc
TERMS: \$500.00 Guarantee

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AGENT:
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Should any Rider, Addendum and/or Expense sheet be annexed to this agreement it/they shall also constitute a part of this agreement on the date first above written.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the hereby parties have hereto set their names and seals on the day and first above written. control), Artist may therefrom require a standard 50% cancellation fee of the amount listed above.

If Purchaser should cancel this agreement for reasons other than Acts of God (i.e.: lightning strike, earthquake or other natural disasters, that is beyond human power to cause, prevent, or It is expressly understood by the Purchaser(s) and the Artist who are party to this contract that neither **Dark United Booking** nor its officers nor its employees are parties to this contract in any capacity and that neither **Dark United Booking** nor its officers nor its employees are liable for the performance breach of any provisions contained herein.

Dark United Booking, 104 King Street #177, Jacksonville, FL 32204

This contract should not be binding unless signed by all parties hereto provided however, that the failure to sign this agreement shall not subject **Dark United Booking** to any liability.

Signed contracts and riders due immediately.
The balance of the guarantee shall be paid to Artist or Artist's representative immediately prior to the performance via cash only.

PAYMENTS: deposit to this agency by Paypal only
(info provided on request)

Artist to retains 100% of their recorded merchandise sales.

ADDITIONAL: Purchaser shall provide and pay for, as per Artist's specifications and approval, at no cost to Artist any and all rider requirements.

PROVISIONS: Promotions or co-promotions with any radio station require prior written approval of Artist.

All venue security personnel must be clearly identifiable as security personnel.

PLUS: Purchaser agrees to provide and pay for Sound & Lights, Monitors and Backline to meet with Artist's specifications and approval.

x Edwin Perez
Edwin Perez - Agent

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x _____
_____ - Purchaser